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Atty. Dkt. No. K01-004
(formerly 0006.US00)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Gruber et al.

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
EFFICIENT COMMUNICATION
AND RELATIONSHIP
MANAGEMENT

Appl. No.: 09/848,101

Filing Date: 05/03/2001

Examiner: T. D. Nguyen

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	45	-	46	=	0	x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	4	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:		+					\$360.00	=	\$0.00
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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In accordance to 37 C.F.R. § 1.560(b), submitted herewith is a record of the substance of the interview on April 11, 2006, between Examiner T. D. Nguyen and Applicant's representative, regarding the above-captioned application.

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During the interview, Applicant argued and the Examiner acknowledged that Hodges fails to teach or suggest "asking one or more question, on the web pages, regarding preferences and dislikes of participants (or donors)." Applicant agreed to cancel claim 46 and to amend claim 1 according to suggestions by the Examiner.

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